

applicants propose minor new road construction to avoid driving in the bed of Spruce Creek. The new access request would require much less construction and result in less adverse impact on park resources and values than the original access request to construct and operate a lodge. NPS is issuing an environmental assessment (EA) to evaluate the impacts of the new access request and alternatives. The EA will be made available to those who commented on the draft EIS and other interested parties.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Paul R. Anderson, Superintendent, Denali National Park and Preserve, P.O. Box 9, Denali Park, Alaska 99755. Telephone (907) 683-9581.

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Acting Regional Director, Alaska Region.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

North American Wetlands Conservation Council (Council) Meeting Announcement

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Council will meet to select North American Wetlands Conservation Act (NAWCA) proposals for recommendation to the Migratory Bird Conservation Commission. The meeting is open to the public.

DATES: July 9, 2002, 8:30 a.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Laurel Point Inn, 680 Montreal Street, Victoria, British Columbia V8V1Z8. The Laurel Point Web site is www.laurelpoint.com. The Council Coordinator is located at U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 4401 N. Fairfax Drive, Suite 110, Arlington, Virginia, 22203.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David A. Smith, Council Coordinator, (703) 358-1784 or dbhc@fws.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with NAWCA (Pub. L. 101-233, 103 Stat. 1968, December 13, 1989, as amended), the State-private-Federal Council meets to consider wetland acquisition, restoration, enhancement and management projects for recommendation to, and final funding approval by, the Migratory Bird Conservation Commission. Proposals require a minimum of 50 percent non-Federal matching funds.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Environmental Statements; Notice of Availability; Wilson's Creek National Battlefield, MO

AGENCY: National Park Service.

ACTION: Notice of availability of the draft general management plan/draft environmental impact statement for Wilson's Creek National Battlefield.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to section 102(2) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, the National Park Service (NPS) announces the availability of the draft general management plan/draft environmental impact statement (DGMP/DEIS) for Wilson's Creek National Battlefield (Battlefield).

DATES: There will be a 60-day public review period for comments on this DGMP/DEIS. Comments on the DGMP/DEIS must be received 60-days after the Environmental Protection Agency publishes its notice of availability in the **Federal Register** or following an announcement in local papers, which ever is published later. Two public open houses for information about, or to make comment on the DGMP/DEIS will be held in or around Springfield, Missouri. Information about time and place will be available by contacting the park at the address below. Open house schedules will be published in local papers.

ADDRESSES: Copies of the DCMP/DEIS are available upon request by writing to Wilson's Creek National Battlefield, 6424 W. Farm Road 182, Republic, Missouri, 65738-9514. The document can be picked-up in person at the Battlefield's headquarters located at the address above.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Superintendent, Wilson's Creek National Battlefield 6424 W. Farm Road 182, Republic, Missouri, 65738-9514, or at telephone number 417-732-2662.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of the general management plan (GMP) is to set forth the basic management philosophy for the Battlefield and to provide the strategies for addressing issues and achieving identified management objectives. The DGMP/DEIS describes and analyzes the environmental impacts of a proposed

action and one action alternatives for the future management direction of the Battlefield. A no action alternative is also evaluated. Alternative B, *Wilson's Creek National Battlefield Commemoration*, the preferred alternative, would focus on efforts to commemorate the Battle of Wilson's Creek and emphasize a reflective and contemplative visitor experience. Recreational use would be allowed but would be managed so as not to conflict with the core mission of the park or the primary visitor experience. Alternative C, *Wilson's Creek Civil War Research Center*, would focus on Wilson's Creek distinctive combination of site integrity and artifact and archival collections in developing the park as an outstanding research center. Alternative A, the no action alternative, would continue management of the Battlefield as it is. Existing programs and program emphasis would not change.

Persons wishing to comment may do so by one of several methods. They may attend the open houses noted above. They may mail comments to Superintendent, Wilson's Creek National Battlefield, 6424 W. Farm Road 182, Republic, Missouri, 65738-9514. They also may hand-deliver comments to the Battlefield at the above address.

If individuals submitting comments request that their name and/or address be withheld from public disclosure, it will be honored to the extent allowable by law. Such requests must be stated prominently in the beginning of the comments. As always, the NPS will make available to public inspection all submissions from organizations or businesses and from persons identifying themselves as representatives or officials of organizations and businesses. Anonymous comments will not be considered.

The responsible official is Mr. William Schenk, Midwest Regional Director, National Park Service.

Dated: April 8, 2002.

David N. Given,

Acting Regional Director, Midwest Region.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Trail of Tears National Historic Trail Advisory Council; Notice of Meeting

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, that a meeting of the Trail of Tears National Historic Trail Advisory Council will be held